

LISTING OF THE CLAIMS

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Listing of Claims:

1-29 (Canceled)

30. (Currently Amended) A method of preparing a multispecific antibody comprising a first polypeptide and at least one additional polypeptide, wherein

(a) the first polypeptide comprises a first multimerization domain forming an interface positioned to interact with an interface of an additional multimerization domain of the at least one additional ~~polypeptide~~, polypeptide; wherein each of said multimerization domains comprises a heavy chain constant domain; domain;

(b) the first and additional polypeptides each comprise a binding domain, the binding domain comprising a heavy chain variable domain and the same light chain variable domain, wherein each binding domain binds to a different antigen; ~~antigen~~, and

(c) the first and additional multimerization domains interact with one another to form the multispecific antibody, the method comprising the steps of:

(i) culturing a host cell comprising a nucleic acid encoding the first polypeptide and a nucleic acid encoding at least one additional polypeptide, wherein the culturing is such that the nucleic acids are expressed; and

(ii) recovering the multispecific antibody from the host cell culture.

31. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 30, wherein the nucleic acid encoding the first polypeptide or the nucleic acid encoding the additional polypeptide, or both, has been altered from an original nucleic acid to encode the interface or a portion thereof.